

CONDITION OF THE STATE.

The year is drawing to a close, and the outlook is not much better for the one to come than the last pictured for the one through which we have just passed. The Comstock is not doing as well as was anticipated. There has been as yet no bonanza shown up in the north-end, and those who thought that Sierra Nevada and Union would be producing bullion by this time have been sadly disappointed. We do not hesitate to express the opinion that in these two mines there will be found immense bodies of ore. It may take months of hard work yet; the Union shaft must be sunk three or four hundred feet deeper; connection must be made with the Sutro Tunnel, so that the water will not retard the work of development. It is very probable that the fear of a too sudden rush of water has compelled the managers to work slow, and is still preventing them from exploring interesting points. Still we can understand the chagrin of those who have been holding on to their stock and paying assessments, expecting to have some of their money returned to them before this, and apparently no nearer now than a year ago of seeing their dearest wishes realized. Should the north-end prove a failure the Comstock may be said to have "petered." Eureka has been a good camp; but for its product the bullion yield of the State for 1879 would be comparatively insignificant. The mines there are still doing well. Tuscarora has done well lately, but its noble little Belle Isle seems to have its best days. The Paradise mines have added some wealth to the world's store, but the yield of the very few good mines on the outside has been but a slight recompense for the immense sums expended in prospecting throughout the State.

We think the agricultural and stock interests of the State have prospered in greater proportion than the mining. The cattle men have found a ready market, for their cattle, as also have the farmers for their produce, and neither can complain that they have not had fair prices. The outlook for the future is full of promise for both of these interests.

The State is making no progress in manufacturing industries. It does seem as though we should be dependent upon our neighbors forever for thousands of things we use which ought to be made at home.

The construction of the Austin and Battle Mountain Railroad and the certainty of the building of the Bodie road shows that we are making some progress in this respect. There ought to be more of it. There are a dozen mining camps which need railroad connection—away out in Lincoln, White Pine, Nye, up north in Elko, and there are other interests which would be greatly benefited by the construction of roads north from Reno or Winnemucca, or south from Eureka or Austin.

The sanitary condition of the State is most excellent.

NO DANGER.

It is said that the President's Message will contain a recommendation for the repeal of the law for the coinage of standard dollars. In view of the fact that the President's veto of the silver bill was not sufficient to prevent the passage of the silver bill, Mr. Hayes and Mr. Sherman will find that a majority of the members have not fallen down upon the silver question, and before the session of Congress is over they will probably realize that the utmost they can do is to influence enough members to make a veto worth something.

GRANT'S RECEPTION IN CINCINNATI.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee on General Grant's visit it was decided to hold a grand reception in Music Hall on the day of his arrival and a banquet in the evening. The school children will welcome him with song, and delegations from Covington and Newport, Ky., will join Cincinnati in emulation of the examples of San Francisco and Chicago. According to General Grant's present programme he will arrive on Friday, December 11, and leave for the East the next day.

At the north-end the experts report the Union Consolidated showing well; a great breadth of rich ore being in sight. At the Sierra Nevada all is looking favorable. About 100 tons of ore now being extracted daily, and this amount will be increased as soon as an increased amount can be hoisted.

The Northern Pacific Railroad owes \$80,000,000 on preferred stock and bonds, and \$10,000,000 on common stock, and the road is chiefly controlled by Mr. Billings, of Vermont.

EXECUTIONS BY ELECTRICITY.

Mr. Park Benjamin, a well known scientific expert in applied mechanics, contributes an exceedingly interesting essay on electricity to the New York Herald's research for the best substitute for the process of hanging criminals. He dissents from Professor Draper's opinion, which we printed, that it would be found very difficult to put electricity into practical operation for the purpose. On the contrary, Mr. Benjamin believes, a simple apparatus could be devised so compact that it would occupy no more space than an ordinary travelling trunk, capable of discharging an electric spark potent enough "to kill simultaneously more men than have ever been hanged in company in this country," with entire safety to the operating sheriff. At the Stevens Institute, in Hoboken, there is an electric coil which yields sparks twenty-one inches long that penetrate glass blocks three inches thick and the Royal Polytechnic Institution, in London, possesses one of even greater potency. The awe-inspiring influence of such a mysterious mode of capital punishment he considers, one of its important recommendations, whereas hanging produces on the public no emotions superior to disgust.

GRANT AND THE SOUTH.

THE ELECTION OF 1880. [Richmond, Va. Dispatch—Dem.] It really looks as if Grant were "a man of destiny." What is to be his fate? Who can predict? A few short months will give us an inkling of what is to come. If elected in 1880 it will be hardly necessary to elect him again. The country will be apt to understand the election of 1880 to be for life.

A SOUTHERN NEW DEPARTURE.

[Pittsburg (Pa.) Commonist—Rep.] Southern Democrats in Washington talk freely of abandoning the party organization altogether, and leaving the Northern wing to take care of itself. They complain that, while submitting themselves entirely to Northern leadership, they are not permitted to shape the party policy or take any important step on their own account, for fear of injuring the party North. They say they are tired of this tutelage, and predict that it will be difficult to keep the party solid in the South next year, when that party realizes fully that it has nothing to hope for from its Northern allies, it will mark out its own line of action and act upon its own judgment.

SIGNIFICANT SIGNS OF THE TIMES.

[Philadelphia Bulletin—Rep.] In American politics nothing has happened for many years that is more remarkable than the sudden development in the South, among men who have been and are prominent in the Democratic party, of a sentiment favorable to Grant's re-election to the Presidency. The evidences of the existence of such a sentiment are too many and too strong to be lightly esteemed.

THE SOUTH FOR GRANT.

[Brooklyn Union—Rep.] Southern sentiment in favor of Grant is already pronounced.

A GUARANTEE FOR THE FUTURE.

[From the Rochester (N. Y.) Express—Rep.] Many of our exchanges are commenting on the friendly feeling shown by the Southern people in many ways toward General Grant. It is an element of the political situation not to be overlooked. Even if it should stop short of giving him, in case of his nomination, a single electoral vote, it would be worth consideration as affording guarantees for the success of his administration in a very important department of public affairs.

THE REFUGEE OF THE SOUTH.

[From the Washington (D. C.) Star—Ind.] Nothing but a tidal wave, a wholesale uprising of the voters in support of General Grant, would be able to win for him any of the electoral votes of the South. That such an uprising may occur, even that it is probable, Southern Democrats who believe in maintaining their party organization under all circumstances, admit. Should the Democratic factions in New York continue their warfare, and refuse to harmonize, then all hope of the success of the party is gone. The Southern people realize this, and, abandoning Democracy would turn to General Grant, whom, it is admitted, they admire and respect.

Remarkable presence of mind was recently shown by a miner near Pottsville, Penn. He was employed in a shaft on Sharp Mountain. He had lighted a fuse and was climbing to the surface by means of pegs in the side of the shaft. When within a few feet of the top one of the top pegs gave way, and the unfortunate man fell to the bottom, thirty feet below. One of his thighs was broken, and the splintered bones were pushed through two pair of pantaloons. Notwithstanding his terrible injuries, he had sufficient presence of mind to crawl to the lighted fuse which had burned within a few inches of the charge and to smother it. If he had not done this he would have been blown to pieces when the explosion took place. He then crawled back to one of the earth buckets, got into it without assistance, and was hoisted to the surface.

The Como mill is now running right along on Eureka ore. Thursday richer ore was found in the bottom of the Eureka shaft than any yet encountered. Should the mill prove capable of extracting a paying amount of the precious metals from the Eureka ore, Como will be quite a lively camp next Spring.

IMPENDING INDIAN WAR.—The belief is fast becoming general among army officers in Washington that a severe Indian war is impending. Letters which have been received from the West give color to this belief, for whatever may have been announced officially, there is no doubt that the feeling among men best qualified to judge is to this effect. A gentleman who returned from the West yesterday, and who for three years has lived among the Indians, said to your correspondent Thursday: "There will be more Indian fighting during the next year than since the Seminole war." This gentleman is a government officer, and there are probably few men in the country better qualified than he to pass an intelligent opinion upon the subject.

London World:—"It is becoming the fashion at distinguished weddings in Paris for page boys to be substituted for bridesmaids. They are all dressed alike, mostly in red or blue velvet or satin, with silk stockings and gold buckles; and, for their business, have to attend on the bride, carry her prayer book and bouquet, support her train and veil, and generally be at her bidding all the day. Young brothers, or relatives under twelve years of age, are usually selected for the office."

Senator Bayard is described by a correspondent of the Boston Herald as broad-shouldered, gray-haired, clean-shaven, muscular and fresh in color. He is exceedingly athletic, being famous in Wilmington as a pedestrian and a boxer. His manners are frank and kindly, his ways of speech quick and earnest.

King Alfonso, of Spain, was married yesterday. To-day there will be a reception at the palace and gala day performance at the opera, and on to-morrow and Tuesday there will be two bull fights, a State concert, illuminations, banquet at the palace and gala performance at the theater. Besides three official festivities balls are announced in several of the Embassies and houses of nobility.

\$2 50 PER YEAR.

On and after January 1, 1880, the subscription price of the WEEKLY JOURNAL will be \$2 50 per annum, or \$1 25 for 6 months. At \$2 50 per annum the WEEKLY JOURNAL is by far the best and cheapest weekly paper in Nevada.

THE ALTAR.

SESSIONS—TUESDAY—At Grant's Place, Oregon, November 12th, 1879, by L. F. Allen, J. P., Charles D. Sessions, of Reno, to Miss Jennie Tule.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HARDWARE,
QUEENWARE, PAINTS, OILS, BRUSHES,
WINES, LIQUORS, CIGARS, SNUFF AND TOBACCO,
WOOD AND WILLOW-WARE, MECHANICS' TOOLS,
FURNITURE IMPLEMENTS,
OX BOWS, WOOL SACKS, FINEST TWINE, SHEEP WASH,
SHEEP SHEARS, SULPHUR, ETC.

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NEED STABLES AND STOCK CORRAL.

HARNESS SHOP IN BUILDING.

Cor. Fourth & Sierra Sts., Reno, Nev.

Also few lodging rooms to let.

CHARLES BECKER

Keeps on hand a fine lot of

WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS

At his Saloon on Commercial Row.

LODGINGS TO LET.

He will do his best to make all feel at home in his house. (Give him a call).

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.

\$1,500 WILL BUY A
NICE HOUSE & LOT
on Second St., between Centre and Lake
Streets. House has five rooms, Lot 7x100. Desirable location, and cheap property. Terms cash. Apply at this office.

CAUTION NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE CAUTIONED AGAINST purchasing the Reno Savings Bank certificate of deposit No. 2,500, for \$400, in favor of W. H. Moe, and lost. Payment has been stopped. RENO SAVINGS BANK.
Reno, Oct. 16, 1879-1880.

STRASSBURGER & CO.'S GREAT CLEARANCE SALE.

GREAT CLEARANCE SALE!

—WE HAVE MARKED DOWN OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF—

DRESS GOODS, SHAWLS, CLOAKS, DOLMANS,
ULSTERS, CARPETS, LACE CURTAINS.

—ALSO OUR—

LARGE STOCK OF FANCY GOODS,

—WHICH WILL BE SOLD AT—

Prices Never Before Seen or Heard of in Reno!

This is a GENUINE CLEARANCE SALE as we must have our stock reduced by the first of January. Ladies are requested to call and price our goods, when they will be convinced that BARGAINS ARE THE ORDER OF THE DAY. Samples sent to the Country and all orders carefully filled.

A. STRASSBURGER & CO.,

COMMERCIAL ROW, RENO.

50 CTS. A WEEK.

All classes of legitimate advertisements not exceeding six lines inserted in this column for 50 Cents per week.

Dressmaking.

LADIES OF RENO and vicinity desiring first-class, excellent designs in dressmaking, don't fail to call on Mrs. Paddock, just arrived from the East Room, on Virginia St., opp site Savings Bank, will be open on and after Dec. 2d.

House to Let.

I WILL LET 6 or 8 rooms of a house to a good tenant, cheap. There is a good well of water, cellar and is in a desirable location. Apply to nv26-11 C. S. MARTIN.

Groceries and Provisions.

L. DEMERS keeps constantly on hand groceries, provisions, dry goods and a general assortment of merchandise at his warehouse, corner of Virginia and Paza streets. He will sell cheaper than anybody. Try him once. nv25-11

Come and Settle.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED to the Reno Agency of the Truckee Lumber Co., are notified to make immediate payment to the undersigned, or collection will be enforced.

House and Lot for Sale.

CORNER OF FIFTH and Chestnut streets between school house and seminary, hard finished up stairs and down, good cellar and well of water. All new and good repairs will be sold with furniture and car, etc at a bargain. Enquire on the premises or at this office. nv23

A Card.

THE UNDERSIGNED is still in the Insurance business and is authorized to take risks to any amount in first class American and foreign companies. WM. S. KNOX.
Reno, Nov 19th, 1879.

For Sale.

ONE-ACRE LOT near J. Stiner's, fronting on South Virginia street, part seeded to red clover, also one 18-acre lot near J. S. Sellers' fronting on same street, cleared and seeded to alfalfa. Both lots have good water rights and within the town limits. Also an 80-acre ranch one mile south of the town limits, near Virginia and Reno road and with outlet on the same, cleared and seeded in part to alfalfa, with improvements and water to carry on the same. Will be sold cheap for cash. A. E. ROSS,
nov17 Reno, Nev.

Safe for Sale.

A FIRST-CLASS new Hall safe for sale entirely new, good size and cheap.

Address P. O. BOX 378.

30 DAYS! 30 DAYS!

AT COST!! AT COST!!

Cloaks at \$3 Each.

—ENTIRE STOCK OF—

Cloaks,
Dolmans,
Ladies' U derwear,
Fancy Goods,
Etc., Etc.,
—TO BE—

Sold at Cost Within Thirty Days.

CALL EARLY

AND YOU WILL SECURE GREAT BARGAINS.

M. WEIL,

East Side of Virginia Street
Opposite Nathan's.

CARRIAGE OWNERS

Order your work done with C. T. Reynolds & Co's Standard Varnishes and Superfine Coach Colors. These Varnishes and Colors are in use in all the principal Coach and Car Shops throughout the United States, and are everywhere recognized as the best for all Fine Work.

C. T. Reynolds & Co's Varnishes are now manufactured expressly for this market, to suit the peculiarities of climate.

We Are Now Ready for Business.

It has been conceded by all who have paid us a visit on our Opening Day that we have the GRANDEST ASSORTMENT of

HOLIDAY GOODS

Ever exhibited in Reno, and in order to give those who have not visited our establishment an idea of our display, we will enumerate a few of our leading articles:

TOYS

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, FROM THE CHEAPEST WHISTLE TO THE FINEST KID DOLL.

BOOKS! BOOKS!! BOOKS!!!

Standard Works, in Fine Bindings; Poetical Works, in Fine Bindings; Illustrated Works; BIBLES and PRAYER BOOKS; Children's Books in endless variety. The largest and best selected stock ever brought to Reno.

ALBUMS, IN GREAT VARIETY!

RUSSIA LEATHER WARE!

—CONSISTING OF—

Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Cuff and Collar, Jewel, Work and Cigar Boxes, Writing Desks, Music Rolls, Dressing Cases, Etc.

TOILET SETS AND VASES!

—In Myriads of Forms and Shapes.—

Marble Sets, of New Designs; Parian Marble Statuettes, Dresden and Bique Ornaments, Royal Worcester Ware, Meiorica and Malachite Ware; Sevres China, Swiss Carvings, Gilt Mounted Ornaments, Roger Bros' Silver Plated Ware; Cutlery, Meerschaum Goods, Etc., Music Stands, Gold Pens and Pencils, Etc.

We wish it distinctly understood by our competitors that WE SHALL ALLOW NONE TO UNDERSELL US!

KNUST & JONES,

Virginia St.,.....Reno, Nev.

TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

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YESTERDAY'S STOCK REPORT.

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REMAINING UNCALLED FOR IN THE

Reno Postoffice, Nov. 29th, 1879. Parties calling for any of these letters will please say advertised.

District Court.

A telegram from Judge King yesterday morning announced that he was unable to be here to open Court at the accustomed hour, but would be on hand by the lightning, when the divorce case of Hattie E. Nolan vs. Henry Nolan was to be heard. This will probably end this term of Court. About one-third only of the business on the docket was disposed of. The following cases have been added to the calendar since the last adjournment:

J. J. Poor vs. Lewis Togni.
J. P. Foulks vs. Geo. Robinson.
A. J. Bunting vs. C. P. R. Co.
Urrilla Thomas vs. L. Duck and D. A. Bender, Administrators of the estate of Wm. Duck.
E. C. Gooch vs. James Sullivan.
A. and A. F. Kinney vs. Barnes and Shaber et al.
M. Raphael vs. Southern Nevada Mining Co.
Henry Matney vs. G. W. Huffaker.
Chas. H. Merrill vs. W. A. Walker.
E. L. Shillenger vs. A. A. Walker.
A. McLean vs. W. A. Walker.
Abbie E. Shed vs. W. A. Walker.
James Holland vs. W. A. Walker.
S. O. Leonias vs. Banchi & Co.
Hattie E. Nolan vs. Henry Nolan.

The Truckee Republican says, that Leo Butts has been engaged in testing Peavine ore. His results are extremely satisfactory, and he claims that he can work the rock readily and profitably. His method of working is a modification of the Gould process, and is known only to himself. Mr. Butts has been at Meadow Lake throughout the recent tests of that ore, and has had an important share in the honor of reducing those hitherto rebellious ores. Preparations will soon be made for working Peavine ore on a large scale.

While it has been raining here it has been snowing heavily on the Sierras.

Brevities.

Subscribe for the JOURNAL.

M. Raphael, the tailor, is very sick in San Francisco.

Rosenbloom, the tailor, will shortly leave for New York.

The wood trade is brisk now. The Winter's supply is being laid in.

Parmeter has removed to the old photograph gallery on Mrs. Fairchild's lot.

Rev. J. F. Burkholder, of San Jose, will preach in the Congregational Church this evening.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the Southern Nevada M. Co. will be held to-morrow.

W. J. Gillispie has been elected C. C. of Amity Lodge, No. 8, K. of P., vice Isaac Chamberlain, resigned.

Jas. Richards plead guilty before Justice Young yesterday for selling whisky to Indians, and was fined \$31.

Col. M. G. Gillette, ex-Superintendent of the Savage, went East Friday night. He will be absent about a month.

Stocks were sicker than ever yesterday, and we should judge that bedrock had been reached. They can go lower though.

John Cahlan returned from below yesterday morning, where he has been buying a fresh stock of goods for the Farmers' store.

The Rev. William Bluett will preach at the Baptist Church at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

A. N. Towne, General Superintendent of the C. P. R. Co., passed through Reno last night going East, in a special car attached to the overland express train.

The Reform Club held its meeting last night in Winchel & Cunningham's new hall. The exercises were of the usual interesting character, and Mr. Bluett's lecture on Temperance especially enjoyed.

An absconding debtor from Virginia City was arrested here Friday night. He swore he didn't have a cent, but the officers searched him and found \$600 in greenbacks. He then settled the bill of \$68 50 and was released.

Fred Bayles, an old-time C. P. conductor, but now a resident of Truckee, was in town yesterday. Fred thinks some of going back to railroading, declaring that he feels like a fish out of water while engaged in any other occupation.

After the Board.

The following are the stock quotations after the Board yesterday: H. & N 12 1/2, B. & B. 15 1/4, S. Nev. 36 1/2, Mexican 21 1/4, Uplift 23 1/2, G. & C. 7 1/4, Savage 9 1/4, Potosi 3 00, California 4 60, Balwer 9 1/4, Alta 3 1/4, Confidence 9, Con Virginia 5, Bullion 4 1/4, Chollar 7 1/4, Utah 15, Point 2 10, Belcher 3 1/4, Benton 2 70, Julia 1 65, Imperial 60.

Rain Storm.

There has been a very general shower of rain for the past twenty-four hours. The storm commenced Friday night, and it rained quite hard for several hours. All day yesterday it continued to fall steadily but lightly. It is the first good rain we have had since last Winter.

Notice.

There will be Mass at the hall of the Convent of Mt. St. Mary's to-day at the usual hour of half past 10 a. m. A full attendance is respectfully requested as business of great importance will come up for discussion and prompt action immediately after services are over.

J. J. CALLAN, Rector.

Jones & Kinkead.

Work is being diligently prosecuted at the J. & K., Pyramid; the machinery is ready for work and the shaft is timbered to within 75 feet of the surface. In about a week pumping will commence and it will not be long before the 400-foot level is seen.

There will be divine service at the Methodist Episcopal Church to-day at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Rev. W. Carver, the Presiding Elder of the Reno district will officiate. The quarterly Love Feast will be held at 9:30 a. m. and the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of the morning service. Seats free. All are invited. Sabbath School at 1:30 p. m.

That Virginia City walking match, for \$1,000 a side and to last six days, commences at Piper's Opera House to-morrow. One or two of the contestants sauntered to the summit of Mount Davidson every day by way of exercise while the others came to Reno.

M. C. Lake has bought W. J. Marsh's fine residence on the south side. The purchase money was \$6,000. Mr. Marsh is shaping his affairs to go to farming in the Spring upon his ranch near Genoa.

Those three Chinamen who carved each other in a family fight the other day are in danger of recovering. At one time there was flattering hopes that the "Chinese Must Go."

NEWS OF THE MORNING.

Egypt will invade Abyssinia.

Ex-Queen Isabella is in Madrid. She is the guest of her son, the King.

Of 50 members of the London School Board just elected nine are women.

The lumber merchants of San Francisco have combined and will raise the prices.

England is making it warm for Afghanistan. Gen. Baker put an army to flight yesterday.

French laborers demand a protective tariff, admitting that they cannot cope with the foreign trade.

St. Julien has a severe cold, and his trot to beat his own best time has been postponed indefinitely.

Lepere, the French Minister of the Interior, says that amnesty cannot be extended to Communists.

A body snatcher has been captured at Chattanooga. The corpse was in a shoe box and addressed to Atlanta.

A land slide at Niles impedes railroad travel. The slide was caused by excavating to fill in at the Oakland wharf.

The Indians are plundering property and killing settlers near El Paso, Texas. They ambushed one party of pursuers and killed all but one.

Jay Gould is in Kansas, and as he controls all of its railroads, that people are anxious to know what his intentions are, but they are kept in the dark.

Jose Lopez, arrested in San Buena Vista for murdering a man at Elko, admits the killing, but says it was in self defense. The evidence against him is overwhelming.

The Toronto opera house burned to the ground yesterday and one family was burned to death. The building was valued at \$400,000, and was one of the finest on the continent.

Dr. Bothwell, of Watsonville, went gunning for the editor of the Transcript but in his excitement forgot to load. It made no difference—the game had vanished.

At a teachers' examination in San Francisco yesterday a girl was detected copying the answers from one of her cuffs. She refused to state where she got the question, but it has been ascertained that a Sacramento man got them from the State Board. A new examination was at once ordered.

The United States Grand Jury at Salt Lake, from which so much was expected by the Government, have closed their labors after finding but five indictments against polygamists. In their report they recommended an amendment of the jury law, and say they are astounded at the perjury of Mormons. In many instances mothers testified that their daughters were not in polygamy when several children had been born to them in that relation, and when asked who were the fathers they would answer that they had none—thus making strumpets of their daughters and bastards of their children to shield the polygamists.

WHAT THE WITS SAY.

In this world, brayin' is too often taken for brain.

It is now mistrusted that David Davis got down from his fence in order to mend it.

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Taking medicine will make a well man sick much quicker than it will make a sick man well.

Give a woman a hen instead of a gun, if you want to see her shoot.

The most treacherous memory in the world belongs to a young man with a new watch.

A big head is no more an evidence of brains than a paper collar is of a shirt.

The sun never sits on David Davis. Very likely; but then it does not seem to rise on him, either.

In Nebraska there is a laconic epitaph over the grave of a citizen recently deceased "He twisted a mule's tail."

The tribe of Niagara Falls Indians deserve a government reservation where they can raise pin-cushions in peace.

There is something passing strange about human nature. If a man had to support his family by playing billiards at \$3 a day he'd swear he had to work awfully hard for a living.

If Noah had foreseen the future, and killed the two mosquitoes which took refuge in the ark, he would have rendered some of the strongest words in the English language unnecessary.

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